TELEGRAPH BRIEFS

New York.—Seamen's union demands 75 per cent increase in pay for those seamen who man armed American line ships venturing in Uboat zone.

Sacramento, Cal.—Hiram Johnson esigned as governor, effective April 5, to take up duties as U. S. senator.

Albany.—New York will vote on woman suffrage amendment next November, senate having approved resolution by 37 to 9 vote.

Santiago.—U. S. marines landed here, taking no sides and gives no evidence of making intervention in row between government and rebeis.

Washington.—President appeals to senate leaders to do all possible to ratify quickly the treaty for payment, of \$25,000,000 to Columbia for partition of Panama in 1903.

Peking.—Senate approved severance by China of relations with Germany by 152 to 37 vote.

Washington.—Street car employes on strike. Cars being operated at half service by strikebreakers.

WHAT HAS BECOME



RED HAT LANDED JOHN IN THE HANDS OF SLEUTHS

John White's refusal to buy his lady love a new hat led to his downfall yesterday. Three months ago White disappeared from Grand Rapids, Mich., leaving behind him a wife and child. With him went a lady with a red hat. Detectives from Grand Rapids trailed the couple. Yesterday they caught sight of the red hat at the general delivery window. They trailed it. It led to the Park Row station and to White. Detectives nabbed him. The woman is said to pose as White's wife.

ARREST STRIKING ACTORS

The police are still aiding the vaudeville trust in breaking the actors' union. Yesterday Mrs. John Burke, 57 W. Ontario; Mary St. Julien, 522 N. Clark; Wm. Burke, 522 N. Clark, and Wm. St. Allen, 630 N. Clark, were arrested in front of the Windsor theater, 1235 N. Clark, and Edna Silvas, 417 N. Clark; Mamie Fineberg, 64 W. Huron, Wm. Hewitt, 14 W. Erie, and Jas. Hughes were arrested in front of the Academy of Music, 16 S. Haisted. They were picketing. These two theaters are having trouble with union labor.

Two bullets from Patrolman Wm. Beehan's revolver took John Slomina in the right knee and left side early this morning. Slomina and his pal, Leo Kuhor, ran away from the policeman after a hold-up. Both are under suspicion of complicity in other crimes.

Nearly one-fourth of the earth's land surface is comprised within the continent of Africa. It is as far around the coast of Africa as it is around the world.

King Peter of Serbla owns a shaving saloon and chemist's shop in Belgrade. Before the war his majesty was the agent for a French motor